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: NOVEL CLOT-SPECIFIC STEPTOKINASE PROTEINS POSSESSING

ALTERED PLASMINOGEN ACTIVATION CHARACTERISTICS AND A

PROCESS FOR THE PREPARATION OF SAID PROTEINS

Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

PETITION FOR FIVE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.136, applicant hereby petitions that the period for response to the action dated August 22, 2000, be extended for five months to and including February 22, 2001.

Enclosed is a check for \$1890 for the required fee. Please apply any other charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 06-1050.

Respectfully submitted,

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